

IN NORWICH FIFTY YEARS AGO

Fifty years ago this week the 25th annual meeting of the Connecticut State Teachers' Association was held in this city at the Norwich Free Academy. During that week the Chicago Relief Fund which was being raised in Norwich had reached a total of over \$12,000. The movement for early closing of the stores in the city was meeting with success as a large number of the storekeepers agreed to close their stores at 8 o'clock each evening provided the movement was unanimously endorsed by the merchants of the city.

Interesting extracts from the files of the Bulletin of October, 1871, are as follows:

Monday, Oct. 14, 1871.—At the solicitation of friends the Hon. Henry T. Mackay, known to many of our citizens as a descendant of one of the oldest families of Norwich, lectures tonight in the Free hall on Africa, of which territory he was chief justice for four years. The net receipts of the lecture will be given to the Ohio Library.

The Chicago Relief Fund has reached \$12,469.47. These donations of considerable amount subscribed not yet reported and many subscriptions for special objects are being taken which are not included in the general fund. The Norwich Free Academy has appropriated \$50 for the relief of the Chicago sufferers and a paper is in circulation among the publishing houses of the city.

Joseph McCarthy won't fool with a hay cutter any more. Two figures.

The officer law was off yesterday and a number of boats were on the beds near Montville.

Tuesday, Oct. 15, 1871.—At a large meeting of early closing agitators last evening a committee was appointed to ascertain who of the merchants would close their stores unconditionally at 7 o'clock and report at a future meeting. An adjourned meeting of the West-Cliff school district was held last evening. The report of the committee appointed to examine the tax books was accepted and the accounts were referred to the board of education for a settlement.

The installation of the Rev. H. A. Wicks into the pastorate of the Second Congregational church, Storington, takes place tomorrow afternoon. The Rev. Dr. Denig will preach the sermon and the Rev. E. W. Gilman will deliver the charge.

Wednesday, Oct. 18, 1871.—George W. Fuller, superintendent of the American Submarine Co., sails in the steamer "Mascara" Monday for St. Thomas, Puerto Rico and Curaçao Bay. He will be accompanied by four experienced men and will take personal supervision of the work at the wreck. He will also carry photographic and will send home interesting scenes of the wreck and country.

On Monday, two Irish lads, respectively 12 and 14 years of age, made their appearance in this city, having been forwarded from Chicago. One was

an orphan who had been living with his aunt, a woman with five children of her own. She was burned out as were the parents of the other lad. The boys were forwarded with free passes to this city, where they supposed they had uncle residing who would temporarily provide for them. But one of the boys found that his uncle had been some time dead while the other uncle had moved away to parts unknown. A kind-hearted Irish woman took the lads in charge and brought their case to the knowledge of Mayor Gray. They will be sent back to Chicago today.

Thursday, Oct. 19, 1871.—At a meeting of the early closing "agitators" held last evening the committee reported that the following firms agree to close their places at 8 o'clock provided the movement be unanimously acquiesced in: B. Huntington, G. W. Huntington, Selberg & Goldsmith, C. B. Pratt & Co., Plant Bros., B. Bernstein, Williams & Co., Hamlin & Co., C. Bloembergen, Samuel Prentiss, J. A. Jackson, Mrs. C. E. Platt, Mrs. E. J. Tracy, J. Coombs, Miss N. A. Green, Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. J. T. Thurston, Mrs. Tracy, and all the music dealers in the city.

The two Chicago lads were despatched to their relatives in the city last evening. The younger of the two, a bright, intelligent boy, had devoted the principal part of his visit to perceiving the beauties of the city and departed with joy and reluctance.

A man was found lying on the railroad track near Thomaston, yesterday, just before the passage of the morning train down. It was at first supposed that he was dead but examination proved that he was only sleeping.

Friday, Oct. 20, 1871.—A well known justice of the peace subscribed five dollars to the relief fund, yesterday, and returned to his office immediately, receiving the amount for marrying a couple. This is the virtue rewarded. Another man was requested to contribute, but declined, and within two hours heard that his mother-in-law had come to stay a month with him. Can anyone hesitate which course to pursue?

The Greenville Fire Association has voted to purchase a new carriage and engine, and the fee of the new for the engine company.

The 25th annual meeting of the State Teachers' association was held in the Free Academy Thursday evening, and will continue today.

Saturday, Oct. 21, 1871.—W. H. Tubbs, brakeman on the way freight train on the Norwich & Worcester road, had his hand badly crushed while coupling cars at Danbury, yesterday. Conductor Cavitt placed him under the charge of Dr. Cundall, who dressed it, through amputation of two or more fingers will be necessary.

It is reported that the Central Vermont Railroad company is to lease the New London Northern road. The new mills at Tatfield are called the Ponemah Mills.

SOCIAL CORNER

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without the cardboard stiffening. In this case pack the softer articles as linens and gowns. Put this case into the suitcase and last thing that it may be easily taken out if desired, and used for a cushion for head or back.

A cretonne writing case may be made by an envelope pattern cut to fasten over a writing tablet eight by ten inches. On the inside of the envelope front lay a piece of cretonne a trifle smaller than the envelope when folded and attach down to form pocket to hold post cards, envelopes, stamp book and fountain pen. To make a cluster of bags cut two cardboard oval ends and a half inch long and five inches wide. Cover one side of each with cretonne. Make four bags six inches wide and ten inches deep, turning down a hem one and one half inches to be attached for heading and ending for drawstrings. Fasten the sides of the bags together with fancy stitches and catch the bottom edge of the circles together to form the cardboard oval ends. This makes a cluster of bags with stiff bottom to hold lighter articles and four bags around it for the small belongings that travelers carry.

PRIMOISE

JACK FROST JOY RIDING

Dear Corner Sisters: Two weeks ago I gathered the blossoms and hid a sorry farewell to the plants, but the next morning the weather was warmer. Jack Frost was joy-riding through the valleys and plains, cutting and slashing here and there but maybe owing to engine trouble has not called on the hills tops. So we are still among green foliage for a brief time.

Aunt Bernice: Glad you wrote about putting ripe tomatoes in brine. I am trying them also the green ones and I will go farther and salt down some apples and remove decayed parts from others and watch for results.

For pickles, take three teaspoons of salt for a quart jar and fill them with whole green tomatoes and vinegar to test them for a change. It is time for a change from canning.

J. E. T.: Has your ink bottle rolled down the hill and scattered things and the pen tumbled after? Get in line and hello, honey, greetings to all.

BLANCHIE

DELIGHTFUL WEEK END AT SHORE
Dear Sisters of The Corner: I had not written before last week for a long time, and my, oh my, I almost wished I had not then. Of course, you all saw the mistake or misprint they made when I said I had taken in all my plants. I wished to save, and the naughty, naughty printer left out one very important letter and made it read very queer. Well, I blushed a little, laughed a good deal with the family about it, and just let it go. Mistakes will happen in the best of families.

We surely went to the shore for the week end, and such delightful weather as we were favored with, and I think all the world were out enjoying it, for in all our traveling back and forth to the shore this summer we never met so many automobiles as we did on our way home. If they grow as many more in another year there will have to be a double road all over the world. But I think they are mighty nice things to ride in anyway, I do wish drivers would be more careful. There are as many accidents it makes you feel rather nervous when riding, but I enjoyed it very much for all that. Well, no more this time, for I'm tired. We passed a room today and daughter and I have straightened the house and now I must mend those stockings and do the rest of the mending and to-

night I'm going to a strange meeting. Getting ready for an old lady.

M. A. OF GREENE GABLES.

POTNAM

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orage. It is understood that the samples taken will be subjected to analysis to determine whether they contain alcohol in excess of the one-half of one per cent. permitted under the Volstead act, on which so many citizens are hanging round. Those from whom the samples were taken, however, are well satisfied, however, as they are well satisfied the beverages they have been purveying are well within the law as to alcoholic content.

There was nothing unusual in the lot of the enforcement officers to Putnam, it was said, as their activities here is but a part of a state-wide campaign to determine officially what the sellers of near-beer are really handling.

A. W. Manchester, professor of farm management at the Connecticut Agricultural college at Storrs and Benjamin Ellis, also of the college faculty and formerly agent in Windham county of the Farmers' association, were visitors here on Friday. Messrs. Manchester and Ellis were engaged in making arrangements for a farm management study two weeks hence by students at the college. Students to the number of a score are to be brought from the college to Woodstock and given the opportunity to inspect farms in that territory, with opportunity to study the problems presented and afterwards given an opportunity at the college to present constructive criticisms and suggestions for improvements.

Amity new Buick roadster with "Pomfret Profile Health Service" is described upon each door was delivered from this city Friday morning. The car is to be used in carrying out the work of the Pomfret Nursing association. For the present it will be driven by Mrs. James Ryan. Pomfret is in the forefront with Windham county towns that are giving attention to improving the public health through the activities of a nursing association, as is evidenced by the purchase of a car for the use of a visiting nurse.

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Treasurer G. Harold Gilpatrick of this city had an interview with President Warren G. Harding.

This being a half-holiday, there will be an outpouring of hunters to divide possession of such game as presents itself under conditions permitting it to be shot.

E. C. Rogers, owner of Mantap farm, is to attend a Holstein-Friesian cattle sale at Brattleboro during the coming week.

GOSHEN

T. A. McGrath butchered a spring pig Monday, that weighed 399 pounds.

The Christian Endeavor society will hold a meeting in the schoolhouse in the Ninth district (the Waterman) Sunday evening, Oct. 23, at 7:30 o'clock.

A. J. Randall moved Mr. and Mrs. Barrows and family of Hooksum to the house of Andrew Lathrop, at Goshen Hill summit, Wednesday.

The Goshen Gun club at its annual business meeting voted to have a harvest supper early in November.

Mrs. George Chappell and Mrs. B. R. York were the committee for the arrangement of the interesting program given at the Goshen Community club Wednesday evening. It was a white elephant social. The program follows: Song by Club No. 22; business, E. J. Jones, Mrs. E. J. McCall, J. A. Thomas were appointed a committee to confer with E. F. Johnson of Norwich, secretary of the New London County Farm Bureau for a meeting at some future date.

The committee appointed at a previous meeting gave a favorable report on purchasing a magic lantern to be used by the club. Then followed a song, No. 17, by club; reading, St. Peter, Mrs. H. King; Since You Went Away, Mrs. J. R. Carter; reading, "A Heap of Livin'", Miss Hartig; Song No. 28, club; recitation, Several incidents, J. A. Randall; subjects, It Pave to Be So, Mrs. E. J. McCall; Ready, B. J. "One More Down in Ahaba" said Day Were Organized; Stick in the Mud of Ole Virginia; and The Heiress of Your Ambition, solo, Mother of Mine, Mrs. J. R. Carter; song, by Club, No. 57. An amusing feature was the playing to the trump on the white elephant, each person being blindfolded. Mrs. A. E. Lyman came the nearest of placing the trunk in the right position. The sale of white elephants or packages of mystery netted \$2.28.

A number from here attended the October corner gathering in Grange hall Wednesday.

The committee for the arrangement of the program of the next meeting of the club the first week in November includes Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McCall of Norwich. It is to be Children's Night.

CLARK'S CORNERS

The auction at the Calvin Burnham place last Thursday was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Colburn, of Westminister, called on local friends on Thursday.

Mrs. George Bailey, of Norwich, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carver of Danville visited friends here Sunday.

Edward Perkins and Miss Marjorie Colburn of East Hartford spent Sunday at Mrs. Wood's.

Miss Gladys Upton of Norwich was in town last week.

Mrs. E. C. Jewett and daughter Fann spent the week-end at Everett, Mass.

Mrs. Louis Barbero is ill at her parents' home here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bray and Mrs. Moore of New Haven are at E. J. Naylor's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larrow of North Windham and Gordon Watson of New London were week-end guests at Mrs. Jessie Wade's.

Guests early in the week at Allen Jewett's were Dr. William K. Bath of Willimantic, Mrs. Myron Palmer and son Ray, of Springfield, Mass., Mrs. William Jewett of Hingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Colburn and family of East Hartford were at Wrenley Colburn's, Saturday.

CHAPLIN

At a business meeting of the Congregational church Sunday following the morning services, it was voted to accept Rev. Walter E. Lanphear's resignation as pastor of the church and suitable resolutions were adopted.

Rev. Mr. Lanphear closes his pastorate here Nov. 1st and goes to North Dakota, where he takes up work as superintendent of the Fort Berthold Indian mission, under the Congregational Missionary association. The center of the mission is at Ellsworth, where the mission has a boarding school for Indian boys and girls. There are four Indian churches on the reservation. Mr. Lanphear is a Chaplin boy. He is 34 years old and has been in ministerial work 30 years, first in various places in Ohio and North Dakota. He attended Oberlin college, Ohio, where he was ordained in 1907. He has held pastorate in Congregational churches in this state at Essex, Mansfield Center and Plymouth Congregational church, Hartford. He has been pastor of the Chaplin and North Windham churches since 1915. Rev. Mr.



BENJAMIN H. KAUFFMAN, Reading, Pa.

"There's no doubt in my mind that 'Tania' saved my wife's life," was the positive statement of Benjamin H. Kauffman, 505 Bingham St., Reading, Pa., popular clothing salesman for the well-known firm of Croll & Kock. "I was almost desperate from worrying over her condition, as she had suffered so long without getting relief and I can hardly believe my own eyes now when I see the change in her. Why, she doesn't show her age by twenty years and declares she never remembers feeling better in her life. Her health was falling steadily for a year as a result of catarrh of the stomach, and I have never seen anybody suffer so much from indigestion and nervousness as she did."

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Lanphear's friends wish him abundant success in his new field of labor.

Albert Bennett, Mrs. Asenath Douglas and Mrs. Minnie Davis of North Society, Canterbury, called on C. Clitus Bradford Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Smith, aged residents of the town, are to spend the winter at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Bantle, in Glastonbury.

LAUREL GLEN

Frank Powell and Clara Taylor were in Providence Saturday.

Mrs. Phoebe White is visiting in Hartford, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geer and Bourdon Geer, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bennett and daughter, motored to Wakefield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Miller of Jewett City, with their guest, Mrs. Etta Holdridge, of Pittsfield, Mass., were callers at Danbury and William Main's Monday.

Many from this place attended the supper at Pendleton Hill Saturday night.

State Sunday School Convention.

As November draws nearer on the calendar of 1921, interest increases in the Connecticut State Sunday School convention, to be held in New Britain, November 1, 2 and 3. A score or more of prominent speakers are on the programme and every department and phase of church-school work are to be discussed. Probably the strongest woman speaker before the public today is Miss Margaret Slatery, who will address the convention several times. Miss Slatery is the author of many books of Pedagogy and Psychology, and is also a contributing editor of "The Church School." With such a range of experience, gained by study, travel and association, Miss Slatery comes to the Connecticut State Sunday School Convention with a wealth of knowledge and vital message for all.

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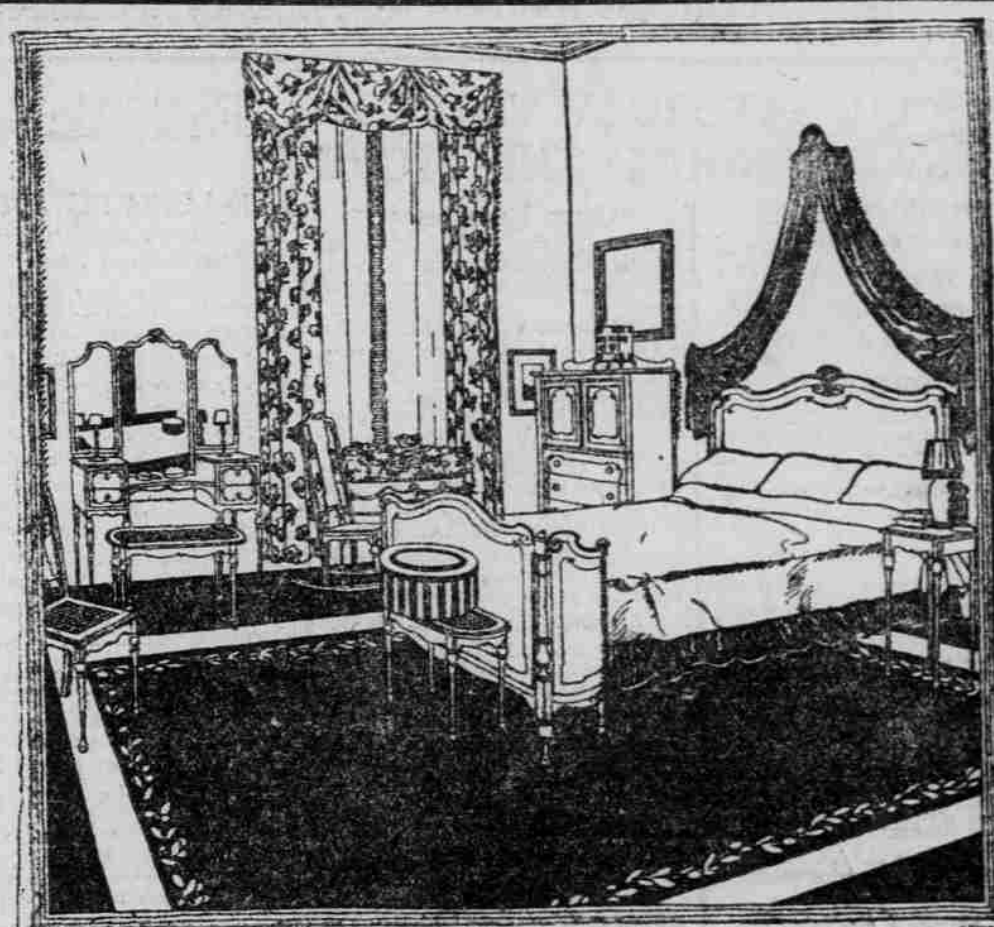
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Danbury—A meeting of all Jewish young men of Danbury will be held in the synagogue on Liberty street, Sunday evening when a Young Men's Hebrew association will be formed.

Southington—At the meeting of the chamber of commerce plans were discussed for a public celebration here at Christmas time at which a tree will be the feature.

Collinsville—The road between Burlington station and Collinsville is soon to be made a state road.

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